

ABSTRACT**LIPOSOMES**

Cationic liposomes with entrapped polynucleotide in
5 the intravesicular space are described. The liposomes
include cationic components such as cationic lipids such as
DOTAP. Preferably the method of forming liposomes uses the
dehydration-rehydration method in the presence of the
polynucleotide. The polynucleotide preferably operatively
10 encodes an antigen capable of eliciting a desired immune
response, that is, is a gene vaccine.